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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT AND VEGETABLE REPORT

SALES TO 8 A.M. TODAY ON THE WHOLESALE FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET
IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES. UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ALL QUOTATIONS ARE ON
STOCK OF GOOD MERCHANTABLE QUALITY AND CONDITION.

CARLOT ARRIVALS RECEIVED IN COLUMBUS 8 A.M.

Bananas		4	Onions and		
Cabbage	Texas	1	Potatoes	Ohio	1
Cauliflower	California	1	Oranges	California	1
Celery	California	1		Florida	1
	Florida	1	Potatoes	Maine	1
Grapefruit	Texas	1		Minnesota	1
Lemons	California	1	Sweet Potatoes	Louisiana	2
Lettuce	Arizona	2	Vegetables	Texas	1
	California	1			

APPLES: Per bushel, New Jersey, Ohio
or New York, Greening, Stayman, York,
Rome Beauty, 3.37-4.05, depending on
weight, based at ceiling price of
8 7/16¢ per lb., poor quality lower.

ASPARAGUS: Per 30 lb. crate, Cali-

fornia, 8.50-9.00.

AVOCADOS: Per box, Florida, 2.50-3.00.

BANANAS: In cartons, per 40 lb.

carton, 3.70.

BEANS: Per bushel hamper, Florida,

better quality, 3.25-3.75, few high-

er, poor quality lower.

BETTS: Per crate, 3 dozen bunches,

2.00-2.50. Topped, per 50 lb. sack,

1.75-2.00.

BROCCOLI: Per crate, California, 6.50.

CABBAGE: Per 50 lb. sack, Texas or

Florida, 1.75-2.00.

CARROTS: Bunched, Texas, 6 dozen

3.50-4.00. California, 4.50-5.00.

Topped, per 50 lb. sack, 1.85-2.25.

CAULIFLOWER: Per crate, California,

3.00-3.40.

CELERY: California, cub crate, Pascal,

2.40-2.65. Florida, wirebound

crate, White, 3.75-4.25. Pascal,

4.00-4.50.

CUCUMBERS: Ohio, hothouse, per dozen,

2.00-2.25.

GRAPEFRUIT: Per wirebound box, size

54s to 80s, Marsh Seedless, 3.50-

4.00. Florida, 3.00-3.25. Per

standard box, Arizona, 3.75.

GREENS: Per bushel, Texas, Spinach,

1.85-2.00. Collards, Turnip Tops,

Mustard, 1.65-1.80. Kale, 1.15-

1.35.

LEMONS: California, better quality

box of 300 to 360, 6.50-7.00.

LETTUCE: Iceberg type, Western, per

crate of 4 to 5 dozen sizes, 4.35-

4.75, few at 5.00, poor quality

lower.

MUSHROOMS: Per pint, .30 - .35.

ONIONS: Dry, per 50 lb. sack, Yellow

Idaho, Colorado, large, 3.05. Ohio

Michigan, Indiana, Yellow Globe,

2.65, supply limited.

ONION SETS: Per 32 lb. sack, 6.80.

White, 7.28.

ORANGES: Per box, California, 5.50-

6.00, supply limited. Florida, wire-

bound box, Pineapples, 3.75-4.25

some higher.

PEAS: California, Mexico, per bushel

3.75-4.50.

PEPPERS: Florida, per bushel basket,

3.75-4.25.

PINEAPPLES: Cuban, per crate of 18-

20, 8.00-8.50.

POTATOES: Per 100 lb. sack, Round

White, Maine, 3.00-3.25, few higher

poor quality lower. Russets, Idaho

3.75-4.00. Michigan Russets, 2.75-

3.00. New, Bliss Triumphs, per 50

lb. sack, Florida, U. S. No. 1

3.50-3.75.

RADISHES: Texas, per crate of about

85 bunches, 3.25-3.50.

SHALLOTS: Louisiana, per dozen bun-

ches, 1.25-1.30.

STRAWBERRIES: Louisiana, per pint

.32 - .35.

SWEET POTATOES: Yams, Tennessee or

Louisiana, per crate, 4.00-4.50.

Per bushel, Nancy Halls, 3.25-3.50.

TOMATOES: Florida, repacks, per 10

lb. carton, 2.25-2.75.

TURNIPS: Texas, topped, per 50 lb.

sack, 1.50-1.75.

OHIO PRODUCE ON LOCAL MARKET
Quotations Based on Jobbing Prices.

APPLES: Per bushel basket, Baldwin,
Rome Beauty, Stayman Winesap, York
3.37-4.05, depending on weight,
based at ceiling price of 8 7/16¢
per lb., poor quality lower.

CARROTS: Topped, per 16 qt. basket,

.75 - 1.10.

CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, per dozen,

2.15-2.40.

LETTUCE: Leaf, per 10 lb. basket, hot-

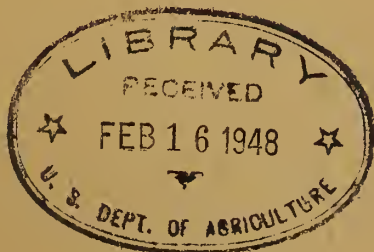
house, 1.25-1.40, supply moderate.

PARSNIPS: Per 8 qt. basket, .75-.85.

RHUBARB: Per dozen bunches, .90-1.15.

TURNIPS: Topped, per 12 or 16 qt.

basket, .85 - 1.00.



BUTTER - CREAMERY Wholesale ceilings as quoted by Columbus dealers

Grade A Wood Tubs	.4396
Lb. Parchment Prints	.4471
Cartoned Quarters	.4546
Grade B Wood Tubs	.4346
Lb. Parchment Prints	.4421
Cartoned Quarters	.4496

EGGS - Buying Price, cases exchanged

Ungraded Farm Receipts	.27 - .28
Grade C Eggs	.25 - .26
Cracks & Seconds	.24 - .25

Gov't graded eggs - Net price paid producers f.o.b. Columbus, cases exchanged

U. S. Grade A large, brown	.31	White	.32
U. S. A medium	.26		.27
U. S. A small	.20		.21
U. S. B large	.29		.30
U. S. B medium	.25		.26
U. S. B small	.20		.21

POULTRY - Priced in cents per pound, f.o.b. Columbus, Ohio.

ITEM	Current quotations by Columbus Dealers				O. S. A. Ceiling Prices			
	Prices paid Prod- ucer	Wholesale Prices to Retailers			Prices paid Prod- ucer	Price to Retailers		
	Live Weight	Live Weight	Packer dress- ed	Table dress- ed	Live Weight	Live Weight	Packer dress- ed	Table dress- ed
Broilers & Fryers Under 4 lbs.	.25-.28		.37	.43-.47	28.1	29.6	37.1	47.6
Roasters 4 lbs. & over	.27-.28			.43-.45	28.1	29.6	37.1	45.6
Capons Under 6 lbs. 6 lbs. & over					28.1 31.6	29.6 33.1	37.1 40.1	45.6 48.1
Fowl, Hens All weights	.18-.24		.33	.38-.46	24.6	26.1	33.1	41.1
Stags & Old Roosters All weights	.14-.20		.28	.31-.35	20.6	22.1	28.6	35.1
Geese All weights					25.6	27.1	31.1	44.6
Turkeys, Young Under 18 lbs. 18-22 lbs. 22 lbs. & over	.34½ .37			.50	33.6 34.1 33.1	37.1 35.6 34.6	41.1 39.6 38.6	52.1 49.6 47.6
Turkeys, Old Under 18 lbs. 18-22 lbs. 22 lbs. & over					33.6 32.1 31.1	35.1 33.6 32.6	39.1 37.6 36.6	50.1 47.6 45.6
Ducks, All weights					25.0	26.5	29.2	40.7
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